

HOUSE BILL No. 1262

DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

Citations Affected: IC 35-47-11-2.

Synopsis: Local regulation of firearms. Specifies that the law prohibiting a county, municipality, or township from regulating the ownership, possession, sale, transfer, or transportation of firearms or ammunition does not apply to buildings owned or administered by the county, municipality, or township.

Effective: July 1, 2004.

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January 20, 2004, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Policy, Ethics and Veterans Affairs.

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Second Regular Session 113th General Assembly (2004)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

Conflict reconciliation: Text in a statute in *this style type* or ~~this style type~~ reconciles conflicts between statutes enacted by the 2003 Regular Session of the General Assembly.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning criminal law and procedure.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. IC 35-47-11-2 IS AMENDED TO READ AS
2 FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2004]: Sec. 2. Notwithstanding
3 IC 36-1-3, a unit may not regulate in any manner the ownership,
4 possession, sale, transfer, or transportation of firearms (as defined in
5 IC 35-47-1-5) or ammunition except as follows:

6 (1) This chapter does not apply to ~~land~~, buildings or other real
7 property owned or administered by a unit. ~~except highways (as~~
8 ~~defined in IC 8-23-1-23) or public highways (as defined in~~
9 ~~IC 8-2.1-17-14).~~

10 (2) Notwithstanding the limitation in this section, a unit may use
11 the unit's planning and zoning powers under IC 36-7-4 to prohibit
12 the sale of firearms within two hundred (200) feet of a school by
13 a person having a business that did not sell firearms within two
14 hundred (200) feet of a school before April 1, 1994.

15 (3) Notwithstanding the limitation in this section, a legislative
16 body of a unit other than a township may adopt an emergency
17 ordinance or a unit other than a township may take other action



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- 1 allowed under section 6 of this chapter to regulate the sale of
- 2 firearms anywhere within the unit for a period of not more than
- 3 seventy-two (72) hours after the regulatory action takes effect.

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